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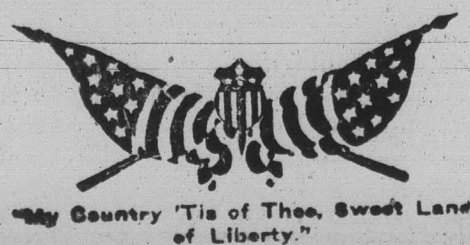
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Congressman Lea Voices Opposition to Drastic Prohibition

SAYS A WOMAN special correspondent to the Chronicle at the National Capitol under date of July 14th.

"As a spectator one cannot help but comment on the high type of men opposing prohibition. They represent the fearless, sincere class, who oppose a thing because they believe it wrong and are not swayed by the fear of the effect of their stand on their next election. They are making a stand but hopeless fight because they believe it right."

To this class belongs our own Congressman, Clarence F. Lea, who truly and nobly represents his district and as a son of Sonoma county, famous grape growing section, is making eloquent pleas in behalf of his constituency.

When one reads excerpts from the Congressional records of the fine speeches Lea is making in the face of unreasonable solidified fanaticism the realization of this man's splendid character asserting itself despite odds that would dishearten the ordinary politician comes home to us. Because they well knew they could neither rule, intimidate or put the crusher on Lea, professional reform resorted to last hour campaign lies during the last election hoping against hope to defeat him for Congress. But they overplayed their hands and the man who stood for justice and honor was elected with a handsome majority.

In recent debate on prohibition enforcement, the Congressional Record reports Congressman Lea of California remarks as follows:

Mr. LEA of California. Mr. Chairman, I ask the privilege of revising and extending my remarks.

The CHAIRMAN. The gentleman from California asks unanimous consent to revise and extend his remarks. Is there objection? (After a pause) The chair hears none.

Mr. LEA of California. Mr. Chairman, I believe it is the fair judgment of the people of America that this Congress should pass reasonable laws to enforce the Federal prohibition amendment, and if that were the only question involved here I would have nothing to say. I am entirely conscious of the fact that it is probably true that anything I shall say will not in the least affect the result of the vote on this bill. However, I believe the war prohibition legislation here proposed is vicious and unworthy of Congress. I do not wait this occasion to pass without arising here to protest. I believe it is unworthy of this Congress for a reason that is as old as Mount Sinai—he who abuses power is unworthy of it.

During the war we prohibited the manufacture of distilled spirits, we limited the quantity of fermented spirits, many restrictions were placed upon the sale of all beverages. On the whole, control of the liquor question during the war worked well. The exceptions were some sections where local authorities failed to enforce proper regulations of saloons.

While the war lasted there would have been a logical reason to support war prohibition. But the historian of the future will search the pages of the Congressional Record in vain for a logical or an appealing reason why this Nation, that went through the war without prohibition, should enact "war prohibition" after the war was over.

No man with candid intelligence can rise here and say that Congress now has a fair, legitimate right to impose war prohibition upon this country. War prohibition presupposes a war. The only right Congress has to enact prohibition before the Federal amendment goes into effect is the war power of Congress as based upon the necessity of war. This legislation was enacted after the war was over and after the armistice was signed, 10 days after, and it was made to go into effect eight months after. Is there any reason that appeals to an intelligent man for contending there was any war necessity for legislation, which by its terms is not to go into effect until eight months after the war was over? War prohibition, to go into effect after a war, is a fraud upon the face of it. In its enactment "war prohibition" was a legislative absurdity. And to repeat the offense now that the war is eight months behind us would be legislative buffoonery.

When the historian of the future reviews the record of this and the last Congress for the purpose of getting a true estimate of the men who composed them, what can be his conclusion as to the wisdom, stability of character, and mental quality of legislative authors of an act that was passed and signed in the exercise of war powers, providing for war prohibition to go into effect eight months after the war was over? What conclusion can he draw from such a situation that will reflect creditably upon the honor, wisdom, or patriotism of those responsible for such a freakish legislative child.

The Federal prohibition amendment provides that it shall go into effect one year after its ratification. It has been denied that the prohibitionists promised one year to this country in which to adjust itself to prohibition. There was no other legitimate reason for delaying the time for the operation of the amendment. However, I want to read to you the words of the Congressional Record at the time the Federal prohibition amendment was submitted to Congress. The distinguished chairman who had charge of the measure at that time made this statement in reference to the amendment, which provided for one year before the act should go into effect:

"While we prohibitionists desire to have the country go dry, we do not propose to let our zeal in that great cause destroy our sense of justice and I for one was willing to advocate the right of the brewers and distillers to have one year to wind up their business. We have distinguished precedents for this in the action of nearly all the dry States. Most of the States have given them a year in which they may wind up their business. I think it is a perfectly fair amendment, and I will be very glad to vote for it, and I hope the dry Members will vote for it."

And they did vote for it unanimously. Those who advocated the adoption of the Federal prohibition amendment went to every section of this country. They went to California, where we have our vineyards, and they said, "See how fair we are, how liberal we are." You shall have one year after this act goes into effect to dispose of your present business, to readjust yourself to the conditions that Federal prohibition will impose." And to-day, after the Federal prohibition amendment has been ratified and before the year is up, the same men who took that position before this country are demanding that we enact war prohibition eight months after the war is over, in violation of the promises they made. If a corrupt political boss in the city of New York or Chicago or Philadelphia would make a promise like that and repudiate it, he would be condemned as a corruptionist in every newspaper and from every platform in America.

So I say to you prohibitionists, who like to talk about good morals and good citizenship, exercise the good morals and good citizenship that is involved in keeping your word to this country.

I especially want to call the attention of the House to this fact: If this war prohibition act should be repealed, it would not mean that the wet condition would be in force in any dry territory in this country, but it would simply mean that you would restore to the wet States the privilege of self-determination upon the question until the Federal amendment goes into effect. Now, I am unable to understand how a man who has absorbed the principles of local self-government in America—the known—how a man from the State like Kansas for instance, that has prohibition should be greatly agitated about denying the privilege to Massachusetts, or New York,

or California, of exercising the same right that Kansas exercised—the right of determining this question for itself.

It seems unreasonable when Congress has only a colorable, if any, power at all of enforcing prohibition on unwilling States. I am particularly interested in the situation of the grape growers of California. To-day there is hanging on the vines in California, approaching harvest time, perhaps the greatest wine-grape crop in the history of California, as reported by the Agricultural Department only three weeks ago. If this legislation goes into effect, the farmers of California will be able to harvest only a small part of that crop. Part of those grapes are good for the purpose of putting them into wine. If this purported "war legislation" shall be continued or go into effect eight months after the war is over, and thereby rob those farmers, of California of the fruits of their labor, it will be one of the greatest outrages committed in the legislative history of the United States. And I am here to-day to say there are politicians in power in this country who have the idea that they can traffic in the question of prohibition and act on the theory that they can politically sell out the legitimate rights of the grape growers of California and thereby advance their own political fortunes. I want to say that that thing can not be pulled off without my standing here and branding it as the political pandering that it is.

Now, what happened while the war was going on? While the sons of these grapegrowers were going to France and fighting and dying for this country, every night the mothers of those boys were praying for their safe return and for victory to American arms. While they were doing that, dry lobbyists were here in Washington trying to persuade this Congress to rob the parents of those boys of their lifetime earnings. To-day the sons of some of those grape growers lie sleeping the eternal sleep in the soil of France. It is un-American, it is unworthy of the Americans Congress, to-day, under the pretense of war prohibition, under only a color of right, to rob those parents of what their industry has legitimately earned.

When Federal prohibition goes into effect Congress will have full power that it should legitimately exercise at that time to impose prohibition, but not now.

(To be continued)

ANOTHER SUPERVISOR LIKES SONOMA VALLEY

Supervisor W. L. Cunningham contemporary and confere of Supervisor Harry Weise has invested in Sonoma valley realty, having just purchased the J. W. Warboys ranch near Kenwood for more than \$20,000. He resides at Windsor.

BABY GOES TO ETERNAL REST

The four month old baby of Mr. and Mrs. L. Montaldo passed away Monday. Convulsions which recurred and proved very serious made the little one's condition of great concern to the family and to Dr. Hays. Everything possible was done for the child but despite medical skill and the experienced nursing of Mrs. Green the baby sank to eternal sleep. The parents have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

TO THE PUBLIC

Please take notice that I have rented the "Lark Club House" at Agua Caliente, Sonoma Co. Calif. on July 17th, 1919, to Joe McDonald and Jack Kraemer and will not be responsible for any bills contracted by them.

Signed Mrs. Theo. Richards

NO TRESPASSING

Trespassing on the Lewis ranch is hereby strictly forbidden by leasee under penalty of prosecution. A. J. MARTINSON, El Verano

MET WITH UNFORTUNATE ACCIDENT

Tony Leveroni of Benecia, brother of Victor Leveroni, the local butcher, met with an unfortunate accident on his ranch near Benecia as a result of which he had two fingers amputated. Mr. Leveroni was harvesting his fine crop of grain and hay and his harvest which he had loaned out considerably in war time was not in the best state of repair. While attempting to fix some part which was not working good his fingers became caught in the machine and were cut off.

Mr. Leveroni has many friends throughout this section who will be sorry to hear of this accident. He is a splendid neighbor and a good citizen and during the war not only produced fine crops and speeded up production on his ranch but he assisted many others, loaning implements and helping generally. His brother Vic and family motored over to see him last Sunday.

FORDS SOLD FOR PLEASURE AND BUSINESS

The Ford Agency of which Messrs. Bushy and Conates are the live wire representatives has made a sale of a Sedan car to the L. Quartaroli family and a one ton truck to Ed. Johansson and Son. These two sales are just a few of the many recent ones, many more cars having been ordered but not yet being available for delivery.

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KEPT LOG OF WAR CRUISE

Submarines Make Supreme Effort During May and June, 1918, To Sink U. S. S. Leviathan.

Monday, May 6th, 1918. At sea off the coast of France making passage to New York under convoy of 4 U. S. destroyers. Speed 20 knots per hour. Course zig-zag but westward. At 4 a. m. destroyers departed for Brest and we continued on our course. At 8:30 a. m. sighted a submarine off our port beam about 11-12 miles distant. We immediately opened fire with all guns that could be brought to bear and kept up a rapid fire as long as the sub could be seen. Increased speed and kept constantly changing course. Our shots seemed to find the mark but owing to the long distance could not determine if we had inflicted any damage. Our fire was not returned and if any torpedoes were fired at us they were not seen.

Tuesday, May 7th, 1918. Course variable, speed 20-12 knots per hour. No vessels sighted. All well and cheerful.

May 12th, 1918. At sea making passage to New York. Slowed to 12 knots per hour at 6 a. m. At 8 a. m. arrived off Fire Island. At 10 a. m. picked up pilot. At 11:30 a. m. came to anchor inside the Horse-Shoe and got underway at 7:30 p. m. and proceeded to Hoboken, N. J. where we docked at 9:30 p. m.

May 13th - 20th, 1918. At Hoboken, N. J. Continued coaling and making repairs. Taking large quantities of stores and ammunition. Troop advance guard of 200 men arrived aboard to make ready for reception of main body of troops.

Tuesday, May 21st, 1918. At Hoboken, N. J. Weather wet but mild attended by electric disturbances. Continued coaling and taking stores. All work finished in Engineering department and ship reported ready for sea. At 8 a. m. troops commenced to embark and continued throughout the day. At 3 p. m. 200 nurses arrived and were assigned to quarters.

Wednesday, May 22nd, 1918. At Hoboken, N. J. Lighted fires under 30 boilers at 6 a. m. and made ready for getting underway. Finished coaling and taking on stores. Troops all on board. At 11 a. m. naval detachment of 400 men also reported on board. Got underway at 4 p. m. and after clearing the dock steamed slowly down the Bay.

May 23rd - 28th. At sea making passage to Europe with troops and nurses. All well.

May 29th. At sea nearing the coast of France. At 5:30 a. m. picked up convoy of 5 destroyers and increased speed to 20 knots per hour. The vessel now being in the danger zone all hands are compelled to keep life belts on at all times.

Thursday, May 30th, 1918. At sea off the coast of France. Received warnings of submarines in our immediate vicinity. Increased to top speed and kept changing course. At 11 a. m. sighted two other transports. At 12:45 we were attacked by a submarine but the torpedo went wide of its mark, thanks to our speed. We opened fire with all guns. At 1:15 the second sub was sighted, about to attack but was forced to submerge by one of our destroyers. At 1:30 p. m. a third sub was encountered and believed to have been destroyed by gun fire from our ship. At 1:45 p. m. a fourth sub was seen in our path but was quickly accounted for by one of the destroyers. Arrived at Brest, France.

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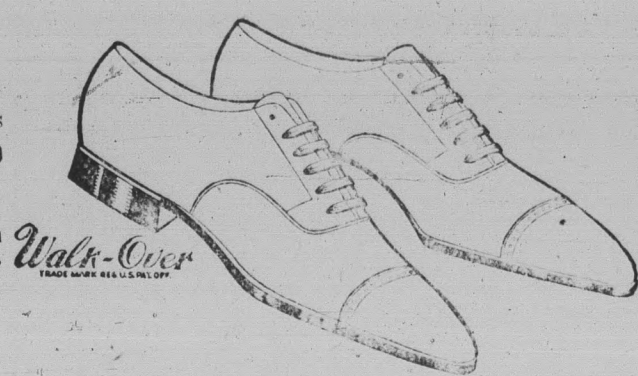
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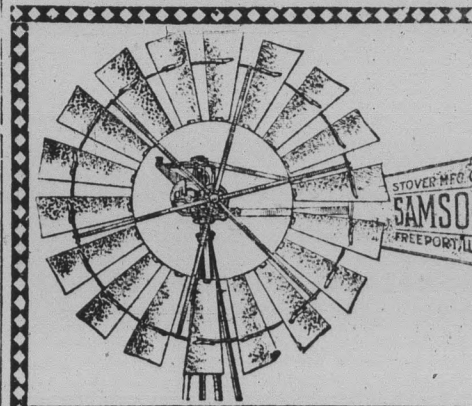
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As a result of the splendid efforts of the Petaluma Chamber of Commerce which has been negotiating with the owners for some weeks, on Saturday D. W. Batchelor closed the deal for the lease of the premises in the Doyle building on Washington street now occupied by the Health Center, by the well known Raymond firm of glove manufacturers of Napa.

It is proposed to establish a big branch in this city and to employ as many hands as can be secured and to enlarge the plant as additional hands are secured. The work of enrolling applicants will be commenced shortly and the machinery will be shipped in as soon as it can be bought, for it is hoped to start the factory by the first of August.

Earl H. Raymond, the head of the firm was here on Saturday and personally closed the deal with Mr. Batchelor and thus another manufacturing industry is added to the long list of Petaluma concerns while light work at good wages will be supplied the girls of this city and vicinity all the year round. The firm has an immense business and can use all the goods it can turn out. In fact, it is to increase its output which is in great demand that the new branch is being established, the company also having several other branches in other cities.

The goods of the firm have a splendid reputation so that it is not like a new and untried concern which makes the acquisition all the greater for this city. It will at once bring several new families to this city as the heads of the departments will come from abroad and it is sure to bring families here so that their daughters can secure the steady work that is offered. In fact it is a splendid thing for this city and it would be no surprise if the plant were many years occupied the entire lower floor of the big brick building in which the new branch is to be established.

—Petaluma Argus

Sonoma has had a branch of the California Glove Co. here for two years and it has been a decided asset to the community. The branch factory in the Masonic building is a bee hive of industry and many girls and women find steady employment there sewing gloves the year round.

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That concerns that having found it profitable to use their motor trucks in hauling light deliveries, would not do without this form of rapid transportation after once trying them out and seeing the many advantages of the motor transportation, is the opinion of Gill.

"As is quite natural," stated Gill, "our company is greatly interested in any movement which will increase the usefulness of the automobile and motor truck, and for this reason we have kept tab on travel between the East Bay and the North-of-the-Bay district over the Richmond-San Rafael ferry routes. We have found that besides the increase in the number of pleasure cars using our ferry, a great traffic is passing across via our ferry route, in motor trucks, each year."

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The Richmond-San Rafael Ferry since its establishment several years ago has been a great convenience to motorists and the traveling public of the entire San Francisco Bay district as well as the North-of-the-Bay Counties.

SONOMA CLUBWOMAN ON FINE OUTING

Mrs. Carrie Burlingame is enjoying an outing with the Sierra Club with a party 150 who are out on a four weeks exploration of mountains in Tuolumne Meadows, high above Yosemite valley. Among those in the party are many San Franciscans and Los Angeles with a few from Atlantic coast cities. All will sleep in bags, taking chances on rain the equipment being limited to 35 pounds for each person. Several snowy peaks 13,000 feet high will be climbed. The women wear knickerbockers.

It is reported that the Mendocino county board of supervisors is to stop paying a bounty on the scalps of coyotes and other animals and adopted a plan suggested by the U. S. government whereby hunters and trappers are to be hired at \$100 per month, the U. S. to pay half and the county the other half. During the past year the county has paid out \$4,300 in bounties. It is estimated that under the new arrangement the county will pay about \$3,000 and the U. S. the same amount. The county is to get the hides and will sell them at auction, thereby reducing its share of the expense by about \$500 per year.

Adam Adler the lumber merchant accompanied by his son Leland and brother-in-law, Harry Quartaroli, have been on a motor trip at Ft. Bragg.

PRUNE GROWERS FIX PRICES FOR 1919 CROP

The California Prune Growers Association has fixed the prices for the 1919 crop as follows:

Size 20 to 30 basis price 22 cents, price per pound 22 cents.
Size 30 to 40 basis price 16 cents, price per pound 18.25.
Size 40 to 50 basis price 14 cents, price per pound 15.75 cents.
Size 50 to 60 basis price 12 cents, price per pound 13.25 cents.
Size 60 to 70 basis price 11.5 cents, price per pound 12.25 cents.
Size 70 to 80 basis price 11 cents, price per pound 11.25.
Size 80 to 90 basis price 11 cents, price per pound 10.75 cents.
Size 90 to 100 basis price 11 cents, price per pound 10.25 cents.
Basis price, average equal quantities 20 - 30 to 100, 13.56 cents. Basis price percentage average, 20-30 to 100-100, 12.50 cents.
Average price per pound, 14.22 cents.

One cent per pound premium on September shipments to be pro rated to growers delivering prior to September 20th.

Price per pound, size 120 and smaller, 7.50 cents.

FRANK GRACE SELLS HOPS FOR \$32,000

Frank P. Grace on Thursday sold forty thousand pounds of his crop of hops of the present year. He sold at the highest price yet paid in Sonoma county, fifty-two and a half cents. This little transaction foots up in the neighborhood of \$32,000, so it is quite a nice little day's business for Frank P. He has still a snug lot to sell at an advanced figure and as usual proves that he is one of the most successful business men.

This sale will mean that hops will still further advance and it is expected that the next sale, possibly another by Mr. Grace himself, will be at an advanced figure. Max Wolf who was represented by Bob Madison, was the buyer of the Grace hops.

Commencing with August first the enforcement of the traffic laws in Sonoma county will be placed under the control of Sheriff James A. Petray and he will assume charge of the administration of the laws regarding speed regulations, etc. He will have placed under his control the special officers who will be employed.

The matter has been under consideration by the Board of Supervisors and on Thursday it was learned that they had determined to make the change as stated to become effective the first of the month.

DANGEROUS TO IMPERSON- ATE REVENUE OFFICER

San Francisco, July--Occasional complaints have reached the offices of Collector of Internal Revenue Justus S. Wardell of impersonators of internal revenue officers. In all instances effective steps will be taken to protect taxpayers, and vigorously prosecute imposters, it was announced. It was pointed out that every duly authorized officer of the United States Internal Revenue Service carries with him, at all times, proper credentials. The penalty for impersonating a revenue officer with wrongful intent is a fine of not more than \$1,000 or imprisonment for not more than three years, or both.

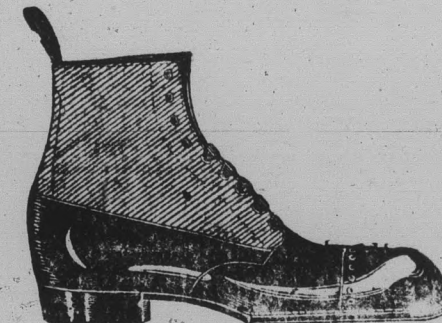
BONDS ARE ACCORDING TO HOYLE AND O. K. SAY EXPERTS

District Attorney George W. Hoyle has received word from the bond experts in San Francisco who have been examining all the proceedings incidental to the recent good roads bond election in Sonoma county, stating that everything was perfect and that the coin would be paid immediately the bonds were signed and turned over, says the Press Democrat.

This is a compliment to District Attorney Hoyle, who prepared all the papers, for anyone who imagines it is an easy matter to handle such a project and have it go through with out a hitch and have the bonds declared absolutely "O. K." with the searching scrutiny which the best bond lawyers in the country always give such matters, is naturally very satisfactory.

Miss Freymuth of S. F. has been a guest at the L. S. Simmons home.

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SIMMONS PHARMACY

Clifford Bergstrom who served with the engineering department of the army over seas has returned from a visit to the north and resumed the management of his business, the Sonoma Valley Lumber Company which was conducted in his absence by Mr. Fred Boynton.

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Saturday night, July 26th, "Goldwyn" presents "May Garden" in "THE SPLENDID SINNER." The story of a woman who knew all sorrows and joys, save one.

Sunday night, July 27th, Select Picture Corporation presents "Constance Talmadge" in "THE LESSON"

Wednesday and Thursday nights, July 30th and 31st, "Adolph Zukor" presents "Pauline Frederick" in "HER FINAL RECKONING." Founded on the Novel "Prince Zilah," by Jules Claretie.

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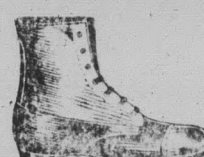
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LOCAL ITEMS

Prof. Cole is to teach in the High School at Hanford next term.

Sarah Campbell has sold 40 acres of land on the Petaluma road to H. F. Bates.

Misses Doris and Marie Clewe have been spending their vacation at Lake Tahoe.

Miss Helen Kerner of the local telephone exchange has been away on her vacation.

W. H. Hanger is enjoying a trip to Lake County where he is with his relatives the Pomeroy family.

J. Hawkins formerly of El Verano was up from Oakland looking after his property interests here last week.

Principal J. F. Prestwood and family are planning a trip to Jenner-by-the-sea before the re-opening of school.

Steve Morrison, the carpenter, fell from a scaffolding while at work south of town last Friday and broke his elbow.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Maffei and two children have been here from San Francisco enjoying a vacation with relatives.

David I. Davidson who sold his chicken ranch at Buena Vista is contemplating a trip to Australia where he may settle.

The F. T. Duhring family have been enjoying an outing at the Yosemite having left here last Thursday in their new car.

The deer season opens August the first and quite a few famous local shots are getting ready to bring down a big buck as usual.

Mademoiselle Lydie Roch, teacher of languages at the Lycee of Grenoble, France, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Thomas Brown.

Mrs. Mary Carter and her daughter, Mrs. Dodge, were gracious hostesses to a number of friends at an afternoon tea last week.

Mrs. H. J. Wicker was hostess at a delightful neighborhood party given last week. Cards and music were enjoyed with dainty refreshments.

A. Froment and family with Ray Gottenberg as pilot of their car returned from Lake Tahoe Saturday last after a wonderful motor trip.

Fancy apricots from the Hall ranch south of town have been bringing as high as \$140 per ton. Prunes have been contracted for at \$105 per ton.

Dr. McDaniel the Santa Rosa veterinarian was here on Tuesday looking at some realty with the idea of locating on a ranch in Sonoma valley.

Maxine Hunter, the winsome little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rae Hunter, has been visiting Miss Alice Young, the popular school teacher out at Watmaugh district.

Mrs. Hamilton and daughters are removing to Oakland to reside. Mrs. Sophia Carner has succeeded. Mrs. Hamilton in the position of clerk at Bordson & Gottenberg's.

Contractor R. E. Murphy is completing alterations to the Clewe annex (formerly H. Laux saloon) which is to be converted into a furniture store by Mr. Clewe for his firm.

Hayne Thomson and family of Missouri are coming to California to reside and take charge of Dr. A. M. Thomson's fig ranch in Shasta county. Hayne Thomson is a brother of the doctor.

Mrs. Kate Ayers, Mrs. Sundberg, Mrs. Chas. Ayers and Fletcher Willet are spending a month's vacation at the Ayers ranch in the hills north of town. Charley Ayers will be up this evening to join the Berkeley visitors for a vacation at the old home.

Announcements of the marriage of R. A. Mulliken and Miss Genivive Turner have been mailed to their friends. The young man and his bride are residing at Glen Ellen where Mulliken makes his headquarters as an employee of the Northwestern Pacific.

Mrs. Maffei has been up to Lake county visiting her relatives who own the famous Salma resort there. She also visited folk at Calistoga and St. Helena. The trip was made in the car of Pete Quartaroli who is a good driver and very accommodating, giving many friends pleasant trips.

Mr. and Mrs. George Garside (nee Mary Burk) of Oakland have been enjoying a vacation in the Valley of the Moon. Garside is manager of Pantages Theatre in Oakland. On Sunday they were visited by Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Campbell (nee Margaret Burke) and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wright of Santa Rosa. Campbell is an ex-senator from San Luis Obispo Co.

Lt. Leland Volquardsen and bride (Valerie Helberg) have taken an attractive apartment in San Francisco, the young navy man having an indefinite leave of absence from the service. He is at present employed as a stationary engineer at the Palace Hotel. Mrs. D. Volquardsen and daughter, Helayne have been down helping the newlyweds get settled in their pretty new home.

Mrs. T. J. Critchley of Elko, Nevada and Mrs. S. Wiley of Berkeley have been guests at the home of their cousin, Mrs. Ralph Hotz. Mrs. Critchley and family are charmed with Sonoma valley and may come here to make their home. They are looking at a ranch in the upper part of the valley and will probably purchase it. Mr. Critchley has been superintendent of the water company at Elko for many years and is about to retire.

Fred Schell Jr., has just returned from his ocean trip to Oregon and reports having had a fine time.

The trial of Max Hoffman whom Jack Murray had arrested for battery has been postponed until Tuesday.

Mrs. Douglas Church is spending a couple of weeks at Paraiso Hot Springs, with her daughter, Mrs. H. Fuller.

Mrs. N. R. Knight came up from San Francisco this week for a short visit with her son and family of Schellville.

Rev. Isaac Cookman, pastor of the Congregation church is recovering from the effects of a recent operation.

Maurel's Villa has been having a most successful season and the excellent French cuisine is much appreciated by the guests.

The new Sen Rafael to Sonoma valley auto bus service gives visitors 9 hours stay in Sonoma valley on Sundays. Trips are made daily.

Landers Stevens and his clever wife, George Cooper Stevens of Boyes Springs are at present playing an engagement at the Liberty Theatre, Oakland.

Mrs. Will Cummings and daughter, and Miss Cummings have been here this week from Eureka visiting at the home of relatives.

A. B. Spreckels is critically ill with pneumonia at his home near Napa. He is being cared for by his wife, the former beautiful Alma de Bretville and two S. F. specialists.

The Missionary Society of the Congregational Church gave a peach garden party at Henry Waters home Thursday night and about \$20 was realized for the church. All had a pleasant time.

Editor Frank Cooke of the Healdsburg Tribune accompanied by his wife passed through Sonoma Thursday enroute to the Sierras for a camping trip. They favored the editor of the Index-Tribune with a fraternal call.

Robley Harbort has returned from the hospital in San Francisco and is around on crutches greeting his little playmates again. Dr. Baldwin says the operation will eventually do wonders for his foot which has been straightened.

VINEBURG

Mr. and Mrs. A. Chevalier of El Verano were guests at Vineburg Inn on Tuesday last.

Large quantities of grain and mill feed are now being stored in the warehouses at Batto's spur.

Miss Virginia Picetti of San Francisco was the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Picetti on Sunday.

The burg was quite lively on Sunday last and a number of visitors landed from the trains at this point.

The New Drier of the Gundlach-Bundschu Wine Co. is now engaged in drying apples and report that everything is going fine.

Miss Emily Batto returned on Monday evening from S. F. after a two weeks visit to friends and relatives. Miss Emily reports a good time.

Mrs. Arthur Batto and Miss Adele Andrieux were visitors in the Metropolis several days this week. Miss Andrieux returned on Thursday eve.

George W. Reed, the veteran station agent of Sonoma, was a visitor in this vicinity on Sunday last. Some one said he came down here to see how Jim Small is going to vote in 1924.

Misses Dulcie and Beatrice Gawn of Stockton, who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Hyde for several days at the old homestead on the Hyde ranch, returned home on Monday.

The apple packers are quite a busy bunch at present with twenty-five names on the pay roll, all experts in their business, and expecting to ship three or four carloads of fruit this week.

John Mohr presented the film, "The Bravest Way" with the famous Jap as the star on Tuesday eve. The pavilion was crowded and standing room was as high as dried apricots. "Some people John."

Louis Reque one of our best known citizens who is employed in the U. S. Radio Service arrived home on Wednesday where he will spend his vacation. Louie expects to resume his duties about the 15th of next month.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Manceit and daughters, Misses Madeline and Louise are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Martin at Vineburg Inn. Mr. Manceit is a prominent member of the French colony and for many years has been deputy sheriff in the Metropolis of the West.

We understand that the Earl Fruit Co. will start packing pears on Thursday. The Company, on Monday last shipped a car load of choice apples grown in Sonoma valley to London, England, and most of them came from around "Peaceful Vineburg." Well that's what a man told me.

Miss Adele Andrieux received a parcel of souvenirs from her brother Harry in France on last Monday and was very much pleased. Among the many articles of interest are a number of relics of the late Great War, also some fancy pieces of needle work from Paris. Harry expects to sail for the U. S. A. between the 19th and 25th of this month.

POULTRY PRODUCERS ASK ENDORSEMENT

Petaluma Chamber of Commerce Adopts Resolutions Providing For Inquiry Into Organization And Favoring Its Continuance.

The Poultry Producers of Central California are asking the Petaluma Chamber of Commerce to endorse the organization to aid in securing the renewal of contracts with the poultrymen at the end of this year and to encourage a larger and more complete membership of all producers in the association. After a spirited meeting at which the attorney for the organized producers answered arguments and criticism and defended the conduct of the association's business although not professing it to be perfect, the Chamber of Commerce adopted the following resolutions introduced by Boude, one of the organizers, following which Messrs. McNear, Macleay and Gwinn, Petaluma bankers were appointed to look into the conduct of the organization's business and to report on the soundness of its business policies and subsequently whatever recommendations are due.

RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS it is a well known fact that forty per cent of all the people in Sonoma county are engaged in the poultry industry, the financial welfare of the county rests upon its prosperity and forty per cent of its population are dependent upon it for a living. And,

WHEREAS in the City of Petaluma, with its three banks with total resources of over \$8,000,000, at least 65 to 75 per cent of every dollar comes from poultry. And,

WHEREAS the climate and soil conditions of the Petaluma section are such that poultry can be raised, and eggs produced, more advantageously than anywhere else in the U. S. And further, probably 75 per cent of the poultry kept around Petaluma is kept upon land, which were it not for the by-product of the poultry industry (the fertilizer) the land would probably not be worth over ten per cent of its present market price—a decrease from \$800 to \$80 per acre. And,

WHEREAS it is generally conceded by everyone who has given the question serious thought that there is in the handling of eggs—a great opportunity for the firm establishment of a responsible co-operative marketing organization—not only financially, but controlled by the producers themselves, and that the unique service which such an institution could perform would be more efficiently and cheaply done by a co-operative rather than by a private concern. And,

WHEREAS at the present time between fifty and sixty per cent of all eggs going into the Bay Cities' markets are being handled by a co-operative marketing organization known as the Poultry Producers of Central California incorporated, which has been in existence for over two and one-half years and whose business has grown to a magnitude of over five million dollars net turnover annually. And,

WHEREAS the shipping contracts of this co-operative marketing agency will expire on the last day of the current year and that unless new contracts are signed up in sufficient quantity to enable this company to hold a fair volume of the egg business they will be placed under a very serious handicap in the business world, if not, forced to dissolve. And,

WHEREAS the directors and management of the Poultry Producers of Central California, Inc., have asked the Petaluma Chamber of Commerce to endorse their co-operative marketing organization; and have also asked that the Petaluma Chamber of Commerce use its best endeavors to further an increased membership among the poultry producers of this section with their co-operative marketing agency. And,

WHEREAS many of the present members of the Poultry Producers of Central California, Inc., believe that there is both a misdirection of the policy of this corporation and a lack of efficient management of its affairs, which has resulted in the members individually sustaining unnecessary and useless financial losses during the last eighteen months.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the President of the Petaluma Chamber of Commerce appoint a committee, composed of the presidents of the three principal banks of the City of Petaluma, who shall hire whoever they may choose for and investigation of the policy and the management of the Poultry Producers of Central California, Inc., during the period of their corporate activity; and further that this committee shall report to the directors of the Petaluma Chamber of Commerce, at their convenience the facts which they shall have ascertained through this investigation; and, finally, that this investigation and report shall be delivered to the directors of the Petaluma Chamber of Commerce before any endorsement shall be given by the Petaluma Chamber of Commerce to the Poultry Producers of Central California, Inc., concerning either the policy, the management, or the proposed contract of the corporation with its members.

Says the Petaluma Argus in regard to the important endorsement now pending:

"It is unthinkable that either the poultrymen or our business men will permit the co-operative marketing to go by the board. Such a step would mean disaster for the poultrymen

and for the merchants. It would go back where they were a few years ago, at the mercy of the market manipulators and compelled to take, as they formerly did, any price for their product that the speculators offered them regardless of the production cost or any consideration. It is the duty of the merchants of Petaluma to see to it that new contracts are signed in sufficient number to keep the organization intact. If the form of contract at present proposed is faulty, ferret out its faults and correct them. If the management and control of the organization is faulty, let the business men of this city take advantage of the opportunity now presented to uncover and correct these faults.

The Poultry Producers of Central California must live."

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Inviting Sealed Proposals for the Erection of a New Manual Training Building in the Sonoma Valley Union High School District, County of Sonoma, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned trustees of the Sonoma Valley Union High School District, County of Sonoma, State of California, will receive sealed bids at the High School building, Sonoma City, County of Sonoma, State of California, for the erection and completion of a school building in said district up to the hour of three (3) o'clock p. m. on

Friday, the 8th Day of August, 1919, at which time and place said bids will be publicly opened.

All bids must be addressed to Mr. Robert P. Hill, Clerk of the Sonoma Valley Union High School District, Sonoma County, California, and must be accompanied by a certified check on some reliable bank in the State of California, made payable to the order of aforesaid Clerk of said Board of School Trustees, in amount equal to at least ten (10) per cent of the largest bid so submitted by such bidder, and no proposal will be considered by said board unless accompanied by such check and on form of proposal obtained from architect.

The said check to be forfeited to said Sonoma Valley Union High School District, as ascertained and liquidated damages in case the successful bidder fails or refuses to enter into a contract to perform the work, and give the bonds hereinafter required, within ten days after the date of the award.

New building to be erected in the Town of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California and is to be a one (1) story, four room Manual Training building.

The plans and specifications for said building may be obtained from L. H. Golton, Sonoma High School Principal, at his residence, Sonoma City, and contractors will be required to leave a deposit of \$10 to guarantee their safe return.

Said building must be erected according to said plans and specifications and completed in ninety (90) working days from the date of the execution of the contract.

The bidder to whom the contract is awarded will be required at the time of the execution of the contract, and as a condition to the acceptance of his bid, to execute and file a good and sufficient bond, executed by a surety company, or by two responsible sureties to be approved by said Board of Trustees of said district, to secure the faithful performance of the contract, in an amount of not less than twenty-five (25) per cent of the contract price, and an additional bond in an amount of not less than fifty (50) per cent of the total amount payable under the terms of the contract, to secure the payment of claims for any material, or supplies of labor, or any kind whatsoever used in the construction of the said building to be constructed under the said contract.

The said Board of Trustees expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated by order of the Board of Trustees of the Sonoma Valley Union High School District, County of Sonoma, State of California.

Dated this seventeenth day of July, A. D. 1919.

W. B. Hays, President
Robt. P. Hill, Clerk of the Board of Trustees, of the Sonoma Valley Union High School.

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